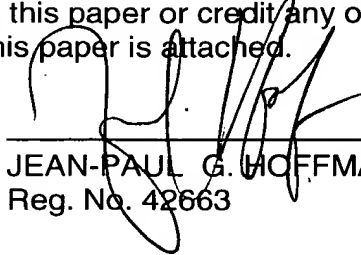


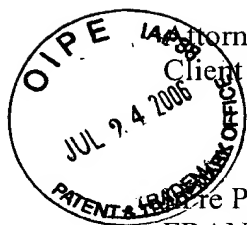
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Further to a Request for Continued Examination filed March 15, 2006, Applicants request amendment of the above-identified application as follows and consideration of the following remarks: